Love and Serve Through Christ

Prayer
Breath of the Soul

July 23rd, 2017

* Worship @ 9:15 a.m. (contemporary praise, lower level)
10:30 a.m. (blended traditional, sanctuary)
Greetings to all who worship with us today!
Children are welcome in all of our services.
Preschool – 3rd grade: dismissed at noted times to worship childcare.
Children ages 4 & under: may be dropped off for childcare or nursery before the service.

THIS WEEK AT WAYNE CHURCH | A United Methodist Community

TODAY (July 23)
- The Gathering Place Service (lower level) 9:15 a.m.
- Worship Service (Sanctuary) 10:30 a.m.

TUESDAY (July 25)
- Ladies’ Morning Bible Study (Conference Room) 10:15 a.m.
- Women’s Summer Bible Study (@Kimm’s!) 7:00 p.m.
- Amici Strings rehearsal (Sanctuary) 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY (July 26)
- Food Pantry Distribution Hours (Office Lobby) 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

THURSDAY (July 27)
- Food Pantry Distribution Hours (Office Lobby) 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

FRIDAY (July 28)
- *Amici Strings Concert! (Sanctuary) 7:30 p.m.

NEXT SUNDAY (July 30)
- *Worship through Service! (lower level) 9:15 a.m.
- Worship Service (Sanctuary) 10:30 a.m.

* Denotes a special event - OR- a change of date, time, location, or other alteration.

Please Pray For:
Janet Allen & family; Nick Breslin; Suzi Brinker; Kathy Brooks; Emily Brown; Ed Carney; Nita Clark; Cayla Digiovanni & family; Norma DiVito; Janis Downs; Ellsworth Faust; Brittany Fischer; the Friel family; Julia Glanzmann; Florence Grafton; Nancy & Ed Hagelgans; Bill Hahn; Larry Henry; Linda & Jerry Hogan; Diane Hurst; Ethel Johnson; Svetlana Khaltueva & Tanya Khaltueva (O’Connor); Sarah Kirch; John Lynch; Jean Mackin; Susan Wildemore Meyer; Sarah Miller; Nicole Obenski; Norn Oberholtzer; Tacy Phillips; Louis Sciotto; Bud & Ginny Schofield; Alex Scott; Sally Smith; Charlene Ann Travagline; Ben Varges; George Warner; the Weinans family; and Brenda Ziglar.

Food Pantry Volunteers Needed
August slots are open! We are looking for volunteers who would be willing to help during Food Pantry Distribution Hours in August: Wednesdays and Thursdays, 9am – 1pm -OR- sign up for a half-shift (9-11am or 11am-1pm)!
Interested? Email Laura SantaMaria - Lsantamaria@wayneumc.org
Welcome & Announcements

Covenant of Friendship

* Call to Worship

  Leader: People of God, open your eyes! Look around!
  People: The presence of our Lord Jesus Christ is here—among us and within us.
  Leader: God’s salvation is close at hand—nearer than you know.
  People: So open your hearts and minds to the Spirit, and let’s worship God together!

* Hymn # 103  
  **Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise**

Scripture Reading  
**ROMANS 8:26-30**
(Pew Bible, p. 1755)

Congregational Prayer: (unison) Lord God, maker of heaven and earth, we gather together in your name. We come as living sacrifices, to offer you our worship and thanksgiving, our praise and our prayers. Come among us, living Lord. Through the power of your Holy Spirit, transform our hearts and minds so that we may recognize your presence, hear your voice, know your will, and walk in your way. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Worship through Music  
Special Music

**MIDDLE SCHOOL MISSION TEAM REPORT**

Children’s Message  
Janet French
**(Children should return to their seats until dismissal.)**

Giving Our Tithes & Offerings

Offertory  
Special Music
* Offertory Response       Doxology   (Hymnal, no. 95)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise him all creatures here below.
Praise him above ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

* Offertory Prayer

* Hymn (see insert)        Come Away with Me

**(During the 2nd verse, children 3rd grade & under are dismissed to Worship Childcare. Janet French will escort them out of the sanctuary.)

* Scripture Reading

LUKE 11:1-4
(Pew Bible, p. 1616)

Message                Pastor Tom Ebersole

“JESUS: TEACH US HOW TO PRAY”

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer: (unison) Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

* Hymn # 664               Sent Forth by God’s Blessing

* Benediction

* Postlude                *Please stand if you are able.

All are invited to stay after worship for refreshments & conversation!

Altar flowers are given in honor of John & Bonnie Shannon’s 36th wedding anniversary. (7/25/1981)
“Bonnie, here’s to the next 36!” – John
Within prayer there is an intimate relationship with God waiting to be discovered. Some have said that prayer is to the soul what breath is to the body—life! How is your prayer life? Is there a “right” way to pray? Is God listening? Have your prayers become routine and empty? The Bible answers these questions and has much more to say about prayer. Over the next four weeks we will attempt to learn from the characters of the Bible new ways to explore and deepen our own prayer lives.

July 9 | MOSES: 4 Lessons
July 16 | DAVID: The Lord is My Shepherd
TODAY | JESUS: Teach Us How to Pray
July 30 | PAUL: Giving Thanks
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**HOSPITALITY HOSTS UPCOMING**

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*Upcoming volunteer schedules may now be accessed in your weekly church email ([www.wayneumc.org/Weekly](http://www.wayneumc.org/Weekly))!*

**VBS SUPPLIES NEEDED BY JULY 25!**

Check your weekly church email to access the sign-up link or visit our website and click on the “SIGN UP TO DONATE NEEDED ITEMS FOR VBS!” button on our homepage.

**WOMEN’S SUMMER BIBLE STUDY!**

Tuesdays @ 7PM, July 25, and August 8 & 22 @ Kimm Ebersole's house

GET MORE INFO OR RSVP to Kimm - ebersolekimm@gmail.com

**AMICI STRINGS CONCERT!**

*This Friday, July 28, 2017 at 7:30PM
Wayne Church | 210 S. Wayne Ave, Wayne, PA 19087
For more info visit: [www.amicistrings.com](http://www.amicistrings.com)

**HEALTH KITS FOR THE HOMELESS!**

WORSHIP THROUGH SERVICE! *Next Sunday, July 30 @ 9:15AM
5th Sunday Community Service Worship (in *The Gathering Place*, lower level) Read about this project in the Weekly. QUESTIONS? Email us – learnmore@wayneumc.org
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2017
July 31 – August 4, 2017 | *9:00AM – 12:00PM
MORE INFO & REGISTRATION FORMS AVAILABLE: wayneumc.org/VBS/
INTERESTED IN HELPING? Email Kate Buckley - kabuckley80@gmail.com

10:30AM WORSHIP @ RADNOR MIDDLE SCHOOL
SUNDAYS, AUGUST 6 – SEPTEMBER 10! The sanctuary will be closed for renovations associated with the Sanctuary Refresh Project July 31 through September 16. During that time, our 10:30AM worship service will be hosted by the Radnor Middle School in their auditorium (across the street)! Our 9:15AM service will continue to meet in the Gathering Place (on the lower level of our building). QUESTIONS? Email us – learnmore@wayneumc.org

WORSHIP CHILDCARE AUGUST 6 – SEPTEMBER 10!
Worship childcare and children’s church will take place in their regular classrooms during the Sanctuary Refresh construction. We will not be having children’s message during 10:30AM worship during these weeks. Instead, please drop off your children before the service in our Education Wing. As always, you are welcome to keep your children in the worship service with you too! QUESTIONS? Email – learnmore@wayneumc.org

WOMEN’S CHOIR SINGING AUGUST 27!
We’re having a women’s choir sing one Sunday this summer with only two rehearsals. More details in the Weekly news email. QUESTIONS? E-mail Becky Douglas becdoug76@gmail.com

WOMEN’S BOOK DISCUSSION!
Thursday, August 31 @ 7:00PM @ Kimm Ebersole’s home
Love Does: Discover a Secretly Incredible Life in an Ordinary World by Bob Goff. RSVP? QUESTIONS? Email Kimm – ebersolekimm@gmail.com

SANCTUARY REFRESH PROJECT!
To find out how you can play a part in this project, pick up a pamphlet in the Narthex, talk to someone on the Sanctuary Refresh team, or read more via the links in our weekly email!
RESERVE YOUR SPACE FOR THE WOMEN’S NURTURE RETREAT, Saturday & Sunday, OCTOBER 21-22, 2017! Read more details about how to sign up in your weekly email. QUESTIONS? Email Janet French – JNFteach@aol.com

MORE INFO ABOUT YOUR ANNOUNCEMENTS MAY BE FOUND IN YOUR WEEKLY EMAIL OR VISIT www.wayneumc.org/Weekly

If you are not receiving the weekly church email and would like to, visit www.wayneumc.org/Weekly and click SUBSCRIBE TO OUR EMAIL LIST!

(Printed copies of the weekly are also available in the Narthex.)
If you have any questions, please email the church office – learnmore@wayneumc.org

UPCOMING EVENTS AT WAYNE CHURCH

Amici Strings Concert (7:30PM) July 28
5th Sunday Community Service Worship July 30
Sanctuary Refresh Project begins! July 31
Vacation Bible School (VBS!) July 31-August 4
10:30AM Worship @ Radnor Middle School Sundays, Aug 6-Sep 10
Next Chosen 300 Meal August 26
• Our Father, who art in heaven…

• … hallowed be thy name.

• Thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

• Give us this day our daily bread.

• And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.

• And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

• For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.
• This Week’s Scripture and Prayer:

➢ MONDAY – Mark 1:29-39, If Jesus (God’s son) needed time alone with God, it must also be vital for us. Do you spend time alone with God? This week, find a quiet place (sitting in the car, the corner of the back yard, the library, your room) to be alone with God.

➢ TUESDAY – Mark 6:45-56, Be ready to spend a moment in a quiet place with God when the opportunity arises. Carry a pocket New Testament or get a Bible app on your phone. Is there an opportunity today? Ask God to provide one.

➢ WEDNESDAY – Matthew 6:5-13, Pray the Lord’s Prayer line by line and meditate on what each line tells you about God… then reflect on what each line tells you about yourself.

➢ THURSDAY – Luke 11:1-13, Today, take with you a simple “breath prayer” that Jesus said God will always answer. As you draw in breath, silently start the invitation, “Come to me…” As you exhale, finish the prayer, “Holy Spirit.” Repeat this throughout the day as needed.

➢ FRIDAY – Luke 18:9-14, At the end of the day today, talk to God about these two questions: When was I most aware of God today? When was I least aware of God today?

➢ SATURDAY- Mark 14:32-43, Have the members of your family write a prayer letter to God and include the following and fill in the blanks: “Dear God, we thank you for____, we are sorry for____, we pray for____.” Add any thoughts, feelings and illustrations from children and end with “Amen.” Read it together then put it somewhere where everyone can see it.